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U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE						
DESCRIPTIVE REPORT						
Type of Survey Planimetric Air Photographic						
Field No. CS-278-D Office No. H-8442						
LOCALITY						
State Maryland						
General locality Potomac River						
Locality Leonardtown						
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DATA RECORD

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Quadrangle (II): Southern half of

Leonardtown 15' Quad.

Field Office:

War Mapping Field Party No. 1

Compilation Office: Baltimore, Md.

Instructions dated (II III): Letter dated Sept. 14, 1942 Project No. (II):

CS-278-D

Chief of Party:

W.D.Patterson

(No field report furnished)

Chief of Party:

Fred. L. Peacock

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Report No. To
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Completed survey received in office: 6-14-43

Reported to Nautical Chart Section: June, 1943

Reviewed: Nov. 1943 Applied to chart No. 553 Date: 2-9-48

Redrafting Completed: 7-1-49

Registered: 12-12-49

Published: 12-6-49

Compilation Scale: 1:20,000

Published Scale: / 20,000

Scale Factor (III): none

Geographic Datum (III):N.A.1927

M. H. W.
Datum Plane (III) Mean Sea Level

Reference Station (III): SOMERVILLE, 1942

Lat.:38° 20' 11.923" 367.6 m. Long.: 76°41' 11.150" 270.8m Adjusted (1482.4)m. (1186.4)mUnadjusted

State Plane Coordinates (VI): Maryland

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Y =

Military Grid Zone (VI)

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PHOTOGRAPHS (III)

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Field Edit by: None

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Date of Mean High-Water Line Location (III):
Same as date of Nine Lens photographs

Projection and Grids ruled by (III) Washington Officedate: 10/20/42 10/30/42 & 11/3/42 date: 11/5/42 checked by: Washington Office Control plotted by: Joseph Steinberg date: 11/30/42 Control checked by: J. Edward Deal, Jr. date: 12/1/42 Radial Plot by: J. Edward Deal, Jr., & Joseph Steinberg devte: 12/10/42 to 12/15/42 date: 2/4/43 Detailed by: George O. Fellers to 6/2/43 Reviewed in compilation office by Henry P. Eichert date: 6/2 to 6/9/43

Map Manuscript
Elevations on Field-Edit Sheet
checked by: None

date:

STATISTICS (III)

Land Area (Sq. Statute Miles): 82.2

Shoreline (More than 200 meters to opposite shore): 49 statute miles

Shoreline (Less than 200 meters to opposite shore): 26 statute miles (centerline of rivers only)

Number of Recoverable Topographic Stations established: 51

Number of Temporary Hydrographic Stations located by radial plot: None

Leveling (to control contours) - miles: None

Roman numerals indicate whether the item is to be entered by, (II) Field Party, (III) Compilation Party, or, (VI) the Washington Office.

When entering names of personnel on this record give the surname and initials (not initials only).

Remarks:

26 CONTROL:

Twelve U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey triangulation stations, which were used as horizontal control for secondary and detail points, lie within the limits of this map drawing. Eleven other U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey triangulation stations and two reference monuments, which lie just outside of the limits of this map drawing, also were used as horizontal control.

Triangulation stations within the limits of this map drawing are:

- · ABELL, 1942
- · · CHERRY COVE, 1908
- · COMPTON, 1908
- Jacobson, 1942
- · LEONARDTOWN CATHOLIC CHURCH SPIRE, 1942
- · LEONARDTOWN WATER TANK, 1944, r.1942.
- ·· MILEYS, 1908
- . NEWTON NECK CATHOLIC CHURCH, 1908
- . RADEC, 1908
- · SOMERVILLE, 1942
- · SPALDING, 1934
- TURF, 1908

Triangulation stations just beyond the limits of this map drawing are:

BEN R.M., 1907
BUSHWOOD, 1934
BUSHWOOD SACRED HEART CHURCH SPIRE, 1901
CHASE, 1942
COLLISON, 1942
BUTCHINS 2, 1942
R. of P. FLAGSTAFF, 1908
POINT FARM, 1934
SOLOMON'S METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 1908
SOTTLER, 1934
ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH BELL TOWER, 1942
STUMP R.M. 1, 1907

At two of the above triangulation stations, namely, BEN R.M.,1907, and SPALDING, 1934, the field party established field inspection stations at easily identified points in order to assure greater accuracy in pricking on the photographs. These points have been shown on the reverse side of the map drawing with small orange circles.

27 RADIAL PLOT:

The radial plot for this map drawing is described in section 4 of the descriptive report for Sub-Projects CS 278-A and CS 278-D, submitted January 15, 1943. File in Duraism of Photogrammating

28 DETAILING:

All of the detailing, except for most of the drainage, was done from the nine lens photographs. There were large areas, especially in the northeastern and northwestern sections of the map drawing where it was necessary to detail from the outer part of the wing chambers. All drainage was determined by stereoscopic examination, the single lens pictures obtained from the Soil Conservation Service being used in most cases. All drainage was shown with a solid black acid ink line.

Inasmuch as there was no inshore field inspection, roads and trees were classified directly from the photographs. All churches and schools shown on the map drawing were taken from the U.S. Geological Survey Leonardtown 15' Quadrangle, Edition of 1939.

The field inspection of the shoreline was satisfactory.

A large part of the northern section of the map drawing was not detailed because of the lack of sufficient photographs.

29 SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:

T-256, T-1103, T-2598, T-2730, T-2748, T-2861 are previous surveys covering portions of the area of this map drawing. None of these surveys are available to the compilation office.

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30 MEAN HIGH WATER LINE:

The mean high water line was detailed according to the field inspection except where there was minor disagreement with the office interpretations. These discrepancies were very few and not serious enough to be noted.

31 LOW WATER AND SHOAL LINES:

No low water or shoal lines are indicated by the field inspection. However, those which were readily visible on either the nine lens or the single lens photographs have been shown.

Low water lines as detailed and shown on this map drawing should be considered approximate.

Shoal lines have been shown as an aid to the hydrographer in the course of any future hydrographic survey.

32 DETAILS OFFSHORE FROM THE HIGH WATER LINE:

No offshore details were indicated on the field inspection and none could be seen on the office photographs.

33 WHARVES AND SHORELINE STRUCTURES:

All wharves, piers, and other shoreline structures which were indicated by the field inspection, or which could be seen on the office photographs, have been shown.

刄 LANDMARKS AND AIDS TO NAVIGATION: Chart Letter L 364(1949), Div. of Chart Files.

Forms 524 and 567/are being submitted with this report on which are furnished positions for three aids to navigation appearing within the limits of this map drawing.

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HYDROGRAPHIC CONTROL:

Form/524 is being submitted with this report for each of fortyfive recoverable topographic stations, including the three aids to navigation mentioned above, which fall within the limits of this map drawing. Positions and descriptions are furnished thereon. All of these are believed suitable for use as control for future hydrographic sur voys.

In addition, six azimuth reference marks have been shown on the map drawing. Positions and descriptions for these are being submitted on form 521. These are not believed suitable for future hydrographic controls.

Two recoverable topographic stations; namely, "Indian" 1942, and "Shell", 1942, which might have been of use for future hydrographic control, and which were established by the field party, have not been shown on this map drawing. "Indian", 1942 lay too far outside the limits of the map drawing to plot, and radial resections to "Shell", 1942 could be obtained from only two photographs.

37 GEOGRAPHIC NAMES:

There was no geographic name inspection by the field party for the map drawing. Several sources and references were consulted, however; namely, the U.S. Geological Survey Leonardtown 15' Quadrangle Map, the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey nautical and aeronautical charts, the U. S. Coast Pilot, the U.S. Coast Guard Light List, and the Rand McNally Road Atlas. Only the more important names were shown where there was little or no doubt as to their identification. The names of all churches and schools were taken from the U. S. Geological Survey Quadrangle. All geographic names have been shown on an overlay which has been prepared for this purpose. It is recommended that an inspection of geographic names be made during the field edit. First of approved names is attached,

38 HORIZONTAL ACCURACY:

Horizontal accuracy of the location of well-defined and less welldefined points of detail is believed to be within the limits set forth

in the instructions for Project CS-278, paragraph 54, dated March 4, 1942.

39 RECOMMENDATION FOR FUTURE SURVEYS:

Though it is believed that the interpretaion of the photographs is generally correct, it is recommended that this map drawing be field edited for additions, corrections, and deletions. As stated under section 28, "DETAILING", a large part of the northern section of the map could not be detailed. No field edit love in this map area.

LO JUNCTIONS:

No contemporary surveys border this map drawing to the north. Satisfactory junctions of planimetric detail were made with the following map manuscripts which are part of Project 278-A:

T-8115 to the west, T-8116 to the east, T-8139 and T-8140 to the south

L1 REMARKS:

The heads of two bodies of water; namely, St. Clement Bay and Breton Bay, lie in the southern part of the area covered by this map drawing. The town of Leonardtown is located near the head of Breton Bay. At the head of both of these bodies of water are small marsh areas. Most of the land directly adjacent to the shoreline is under cultivation. The land area appears about equally divided between farm land and small wooded areas. Extensive woodland, however, is found east of Breton Bay in the southeastern part of the map drawing. In the northeastern part of the map drawing are several small inlets and creeks tributary directly to the Patuxent River. A small section of the Patuxent River shoreline appears in the extreme northeast corner of this map drawing. Stereoscopic examination of the photographs indicates the land in general to have more or less of a gently rolling character.

LL COMPARISON WITH EXISTING TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLES:

Because of the great difference in scale, no accurate comparison of this map drawing with the U.S. Geological Survey Quadrangle map of this area could readily be made. In general, the agreement appears good.

45 COMPARISON WITH NAUTICAL CHARTS

This map drawing appears to be in good agreement with the nautical charts covering the same area.

One important discrepancy was noted; T-8442 shows a marsh area along the shore of the Patuxent River at approximate latitude 38° 21'40" and approximate longitude 76°30'20". This marsh area is not shown on chart 539.

Another small discrepancy was noted at about latitude 38°16', longitude 76°42-1/3'; T-8442 shows a small marsh tip which is omitted from chart 558. In addition, there is a slight disagreement in the shape of the shoreline at this point.

Respectfully submitted, June 9, 1943

George O. Fellers
Photogrammetric Aid

Map Drawing, Overlay, and Descriptive Report Reviewed by:

Henry P. Eichert

Jr. Photogrammetric Engineer

Compilation of Map Drawing Supervised by

Joseph Steinberg
Asst. Photogrammetric Engineer

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Approved and Forwarded: June 11, 1943

Fred. L. Peacock

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Subject numbers not used in this report have been adequately covered in other parts of the Descriptive Report.

28. Delineating.-Field inspection was available for the shoreline only. All inshore detail was delineated on the basis of an office interpretation of the photographs. A few secondary roads and all fence lines were added. In addition, drainage was corrected over the entire map manuscript. The northern portion of the map manuscript was not delineated due to a lack of sufficient photograph coverage.

42. Comparison with Previous Surveys .-

T-256	1:20,000	1848
T-1103	1:20,000	1868
T-2748	1:20,000	1905
T-2861	1:20,000	1907-08

This map manuscript supersedes all formerrsurveys excepting contours, in their common area for nautical charting purposes

44. Comparison with Existing Topographic Quadrangles:-

Leonardtown, Md., U.S.G.S., 1:62,500 1933-36

45. Comparison with Nautical Charts:-

Chart No. 539 1:40,000 Sept. 1934 Chart No. 558 1:40.000 Aug. 1935

51. Application to Nautical Charts:-This map manuscript has been examined but not applied to nautical charts.

This review report was written by K.N. Maki from notes made by the reviewer.

Reviewed by:

Under Direction of:

APPROVED BY:

Chief, Review Section

Div. of Photogrammetry

V. Criffith Technical Asst to the Chief, Nautical Chart Branch Division of Charts

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A basic hydrographic or topographic survey supersedes all information of like nature on the uncorrected chart. Give reasons for deviations, if any, from recommendations made under "Comparison with Charts" in the Review.